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BOOK 3

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Foreword.

Book Three is a continuation of the smooth step by step logical advancement which characterized the early elementary stages in Books One and Two of this course.

The melodic material affords a big variety of well known songs. These are arranged to be played as solos — vocal accompaniments — or instrumental duets.

The chord names are also included. These may be used by any other chording instrument such as the ukulele, banjo etc., or by the guitarist in either a simplified or advanced form, depending on the students technical proficiency.

As the book progresses, the solo part is advanced to three and four string melody chords, while the accompaniment part, employs some interesting alternating and bass run style playing.

The arrangements are suitable to group or recital playing, string and accordion bands.

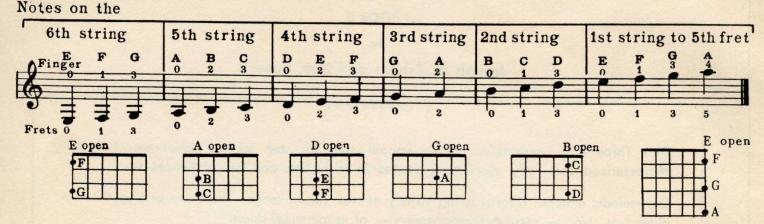
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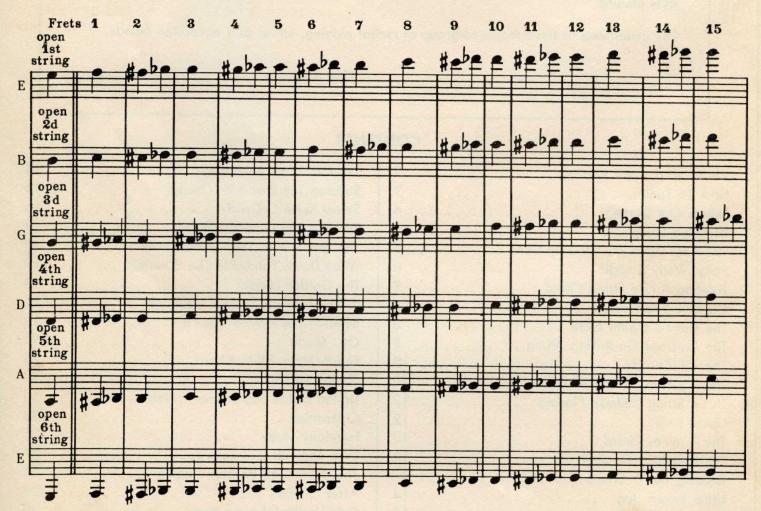
Review of Chords and Notes Learned in Book Two



GUITAR FINGERBOARD CHART

Showing all notes that can be made, on each string, up to the 15th fret

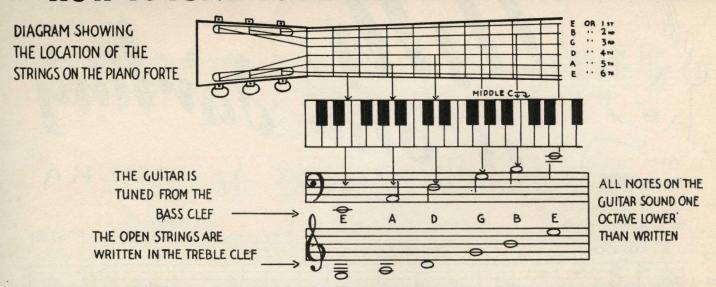
Guitarists should be able to find the various combinations of notes shown on these pages and as every fret on the guitar is a note, a good knowledge of the positions may be mastered with a little study



STUDY THE ABOVE CHART EVERY DAY. A KNOWLEDGE OF THE GUITAR FINGERBOARD ENABLES THE STUDENT TO QUICKLY RECOGNIZE NOTES PLAYED IN POSITIONS.

Refer to this page as you would a dictionary.

HOW TO TUNE YOUR GUITAR FROM THE PIANO

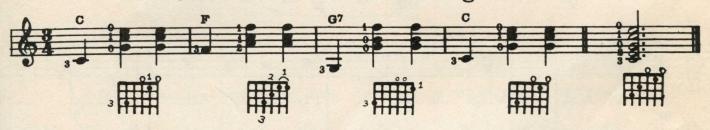


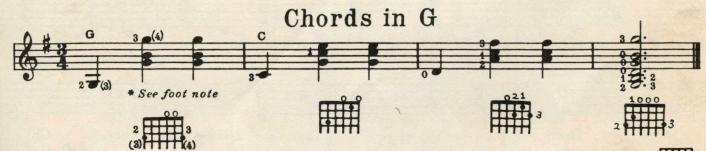
HOW TO TUNE WITHOUT AID OF PIANO OR TUNER

TUNE THE E OR 6TH STRING AS LOW AS WILL PRODUCE A GOOD TONE. THEN PLACE THE FINGER DIRECTLY BEHIND THE 5TH FRET OF THE 6TH STRING AND TUNE THE OPEN 5TH STRING IN UNISON. THEN PLACE THE FINGER DIRECTLY BEHIND THE 5TH FRET OF THE 5TH STRING AND TUNE THE OPEN 3TH STRING IN UNISON. THEN PLACE THE FINGER DIRECTLY BEHIND THE 4TH FRET OF THE 3TH AND TUNE THE OPEN 2.0 STRING IN UNISON. THEN PLACE THE FINGER DIRECTLY BEHIND THE 5TH FRET OF THE 2ND STRING AND TUNE THE OPEN 1.5 STRING IN UNISON. THEN PLACE THE FINGER DIRECTLY BEHIND THE 5TH FRET OF THE 2ND STRING AND TUNE THE OPEN 1.5 STRING IN UNISON.



Chords in C with Diagrams



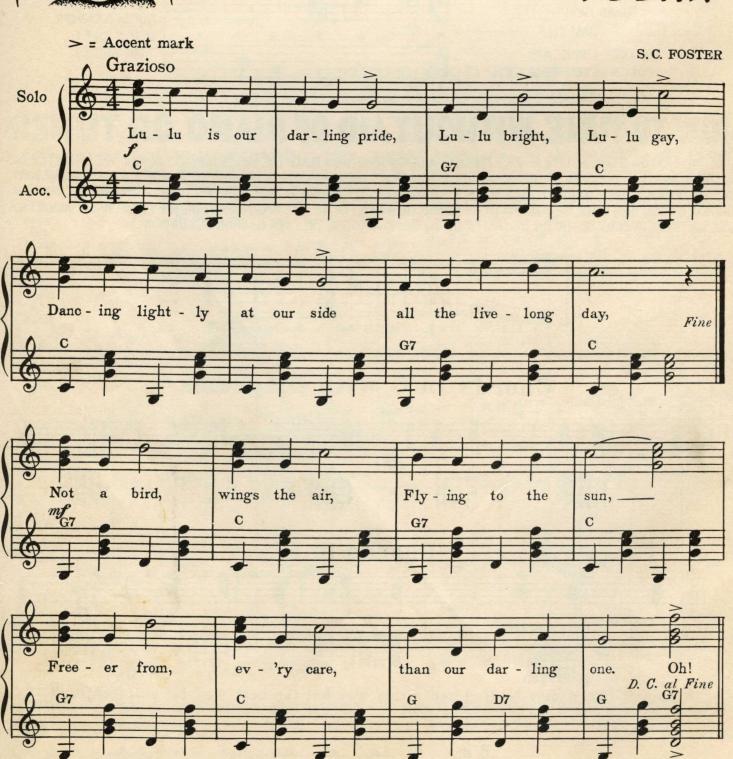


* This G Chord may be fingered either way but the best way for children is 2

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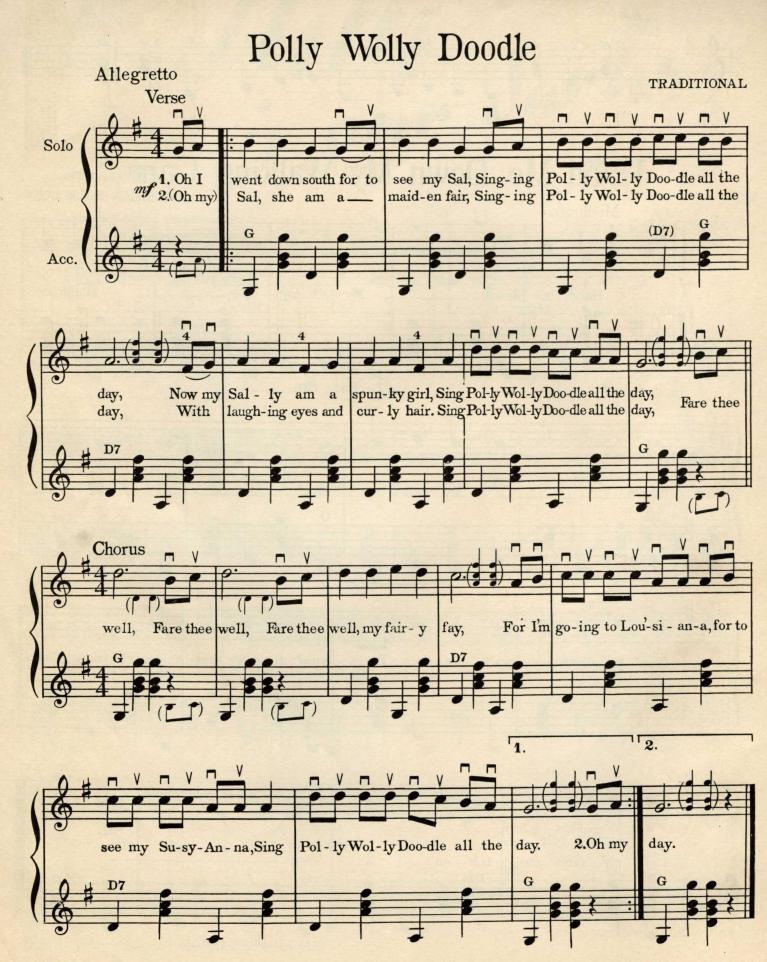


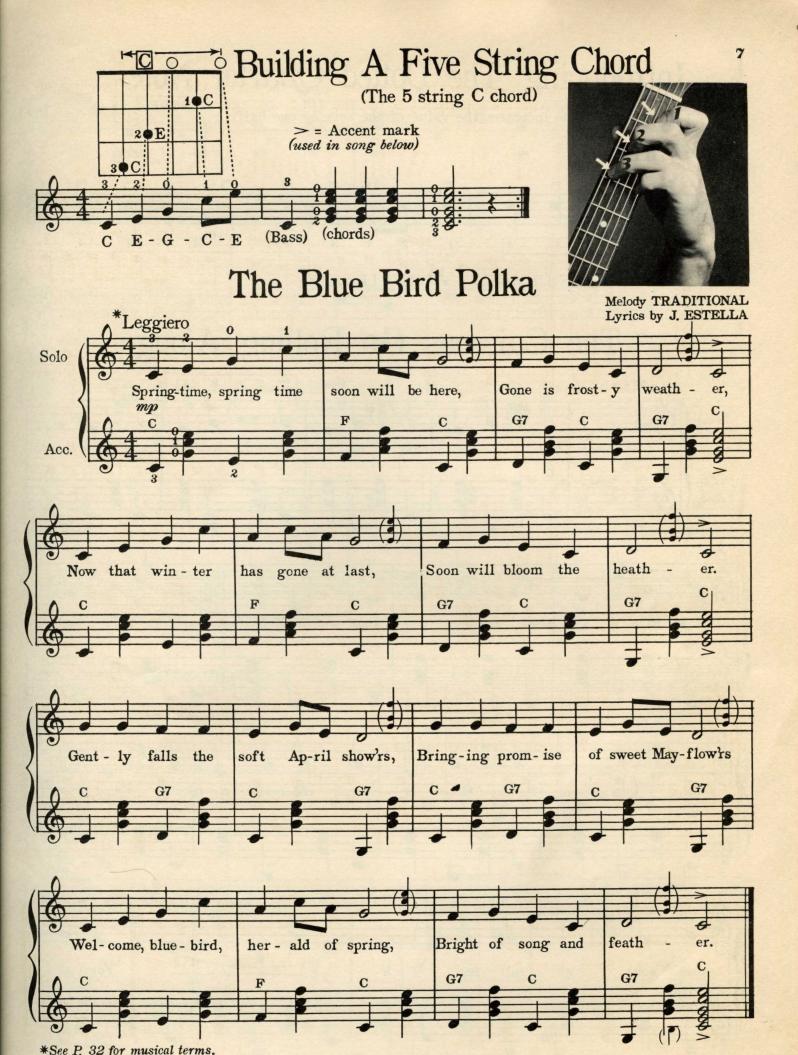
D.C. al Fine = Repeat the first part to fine.

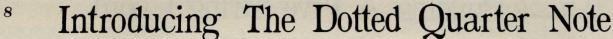
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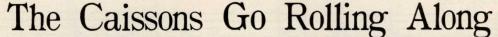


A dot placed after a note increases the value of the note by one half.



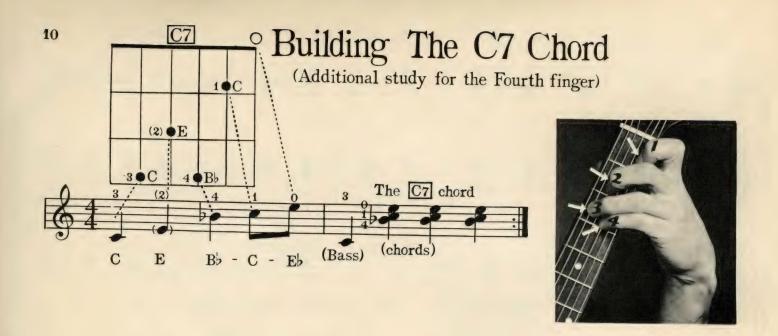


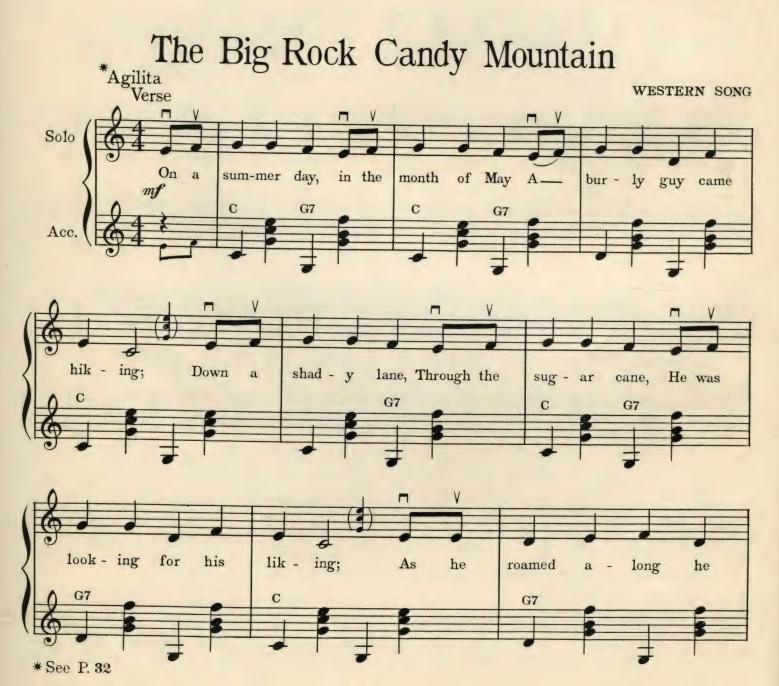
A quarter note plus an eighth note (+) also = 1 \frac{1}{2} counts.









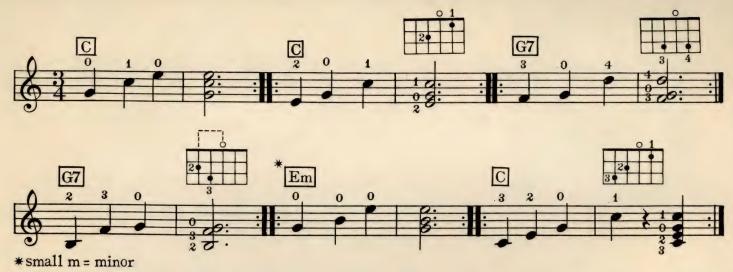




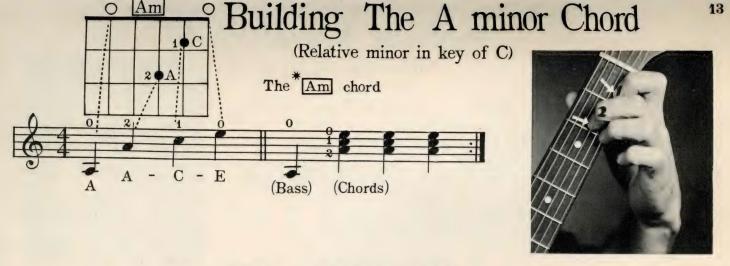
*split measure = means that part of the measure is on one line and the other part on the next line.

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Three String Melody Playing (Chord building study)



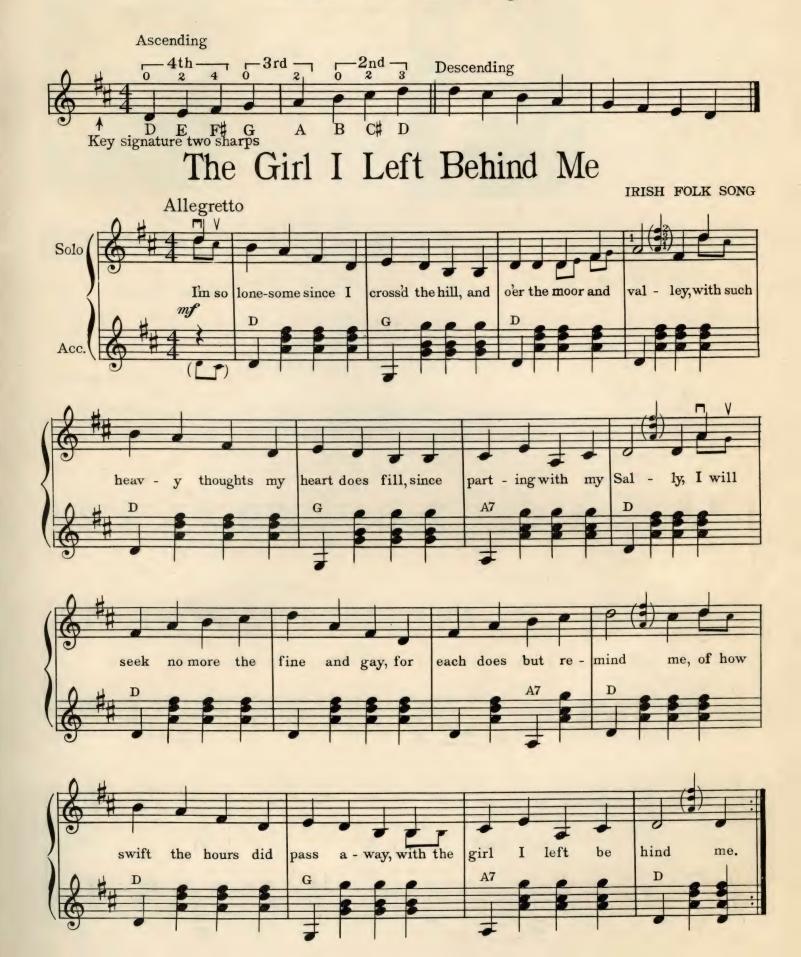


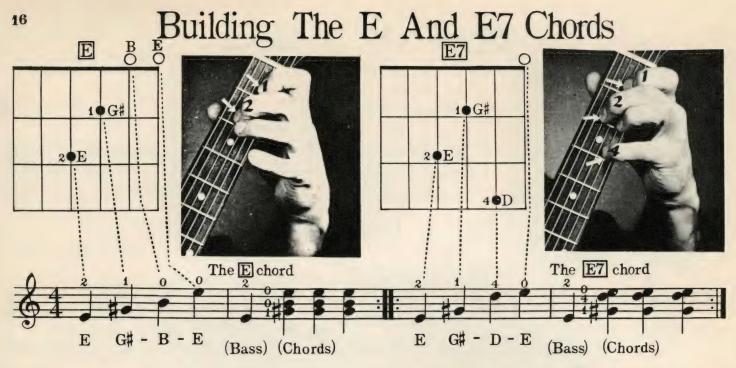






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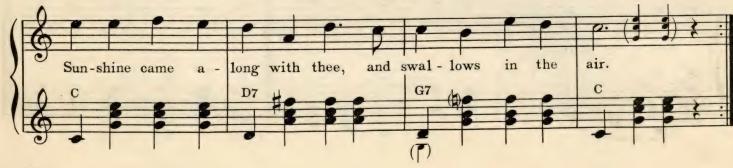










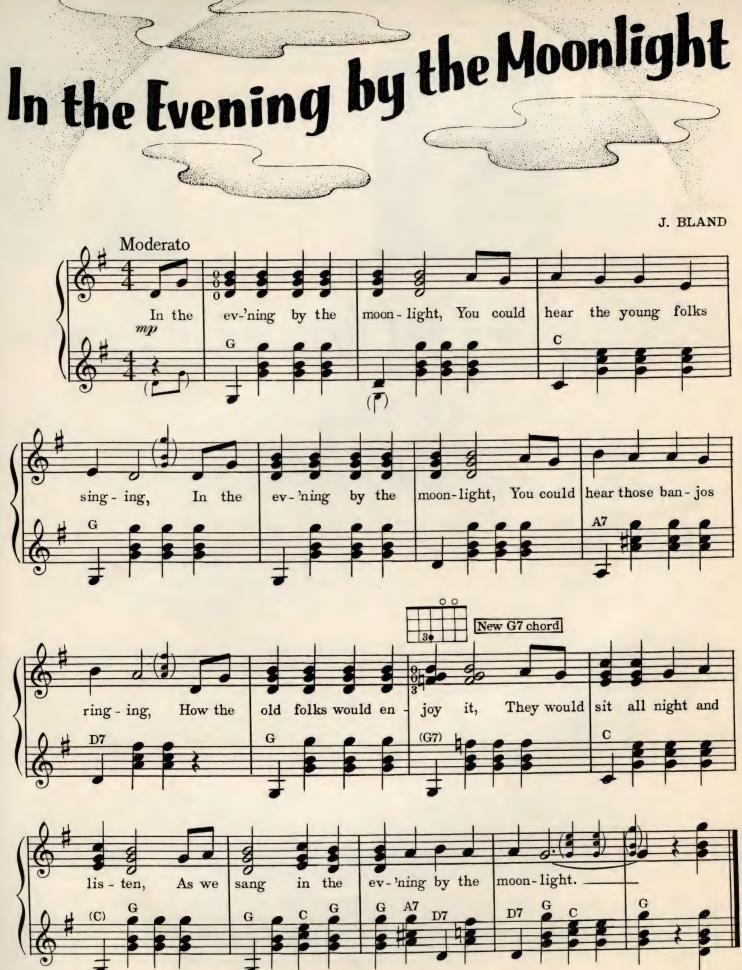




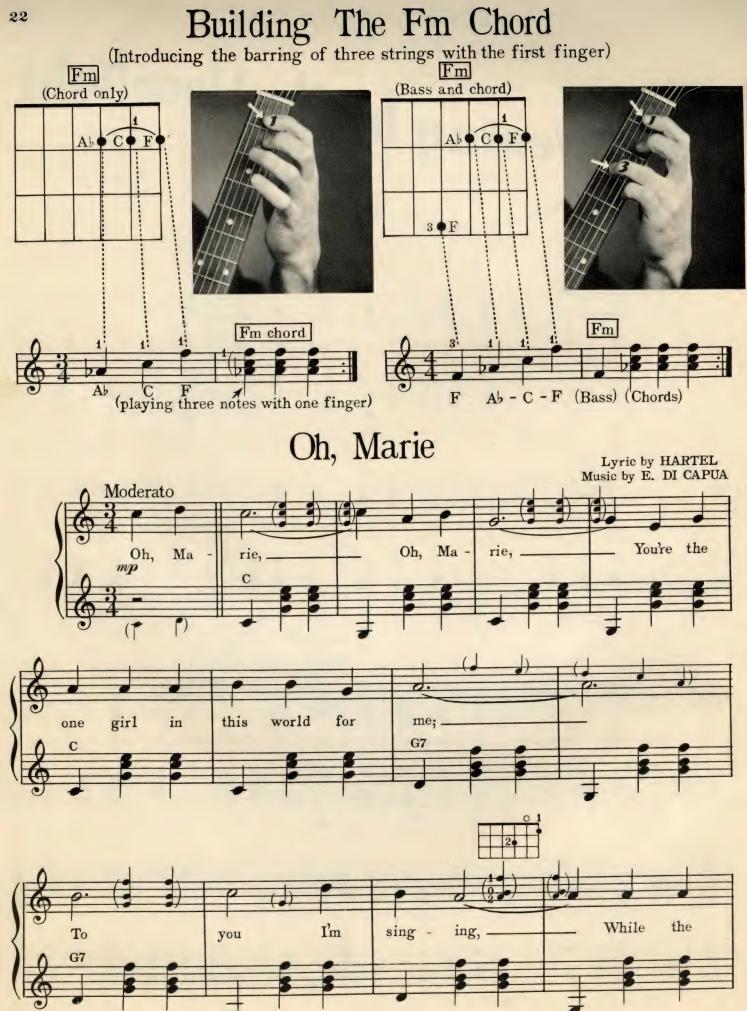
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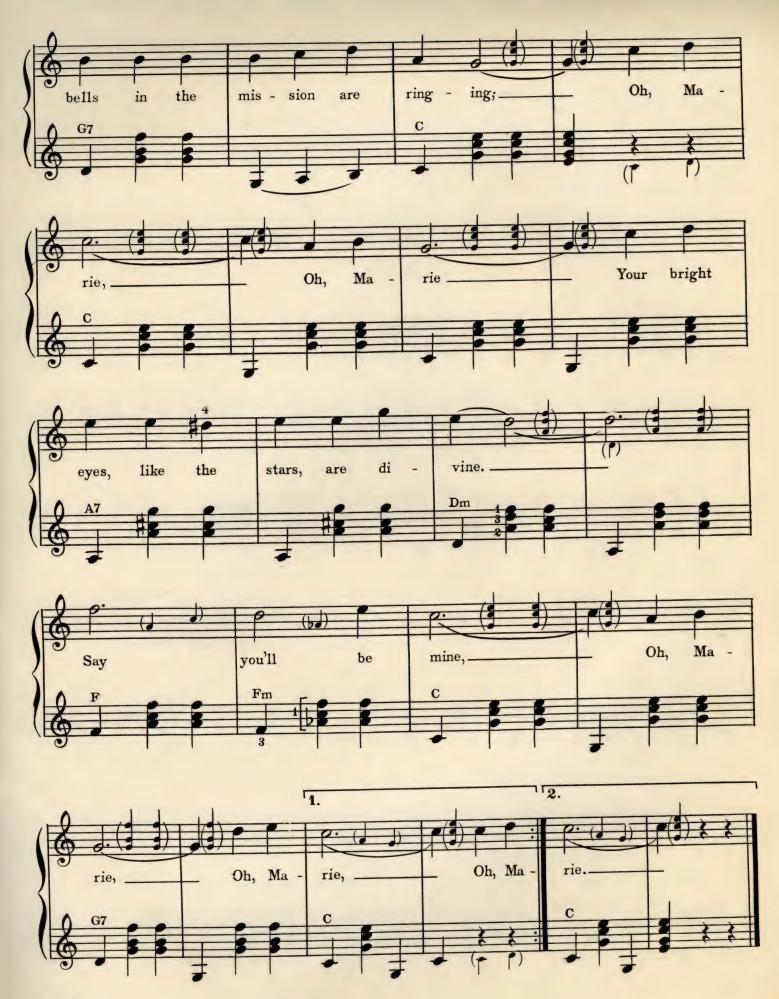
(Climb Up You Little Children)





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Introducing The Eighth Note Fill-in Chord





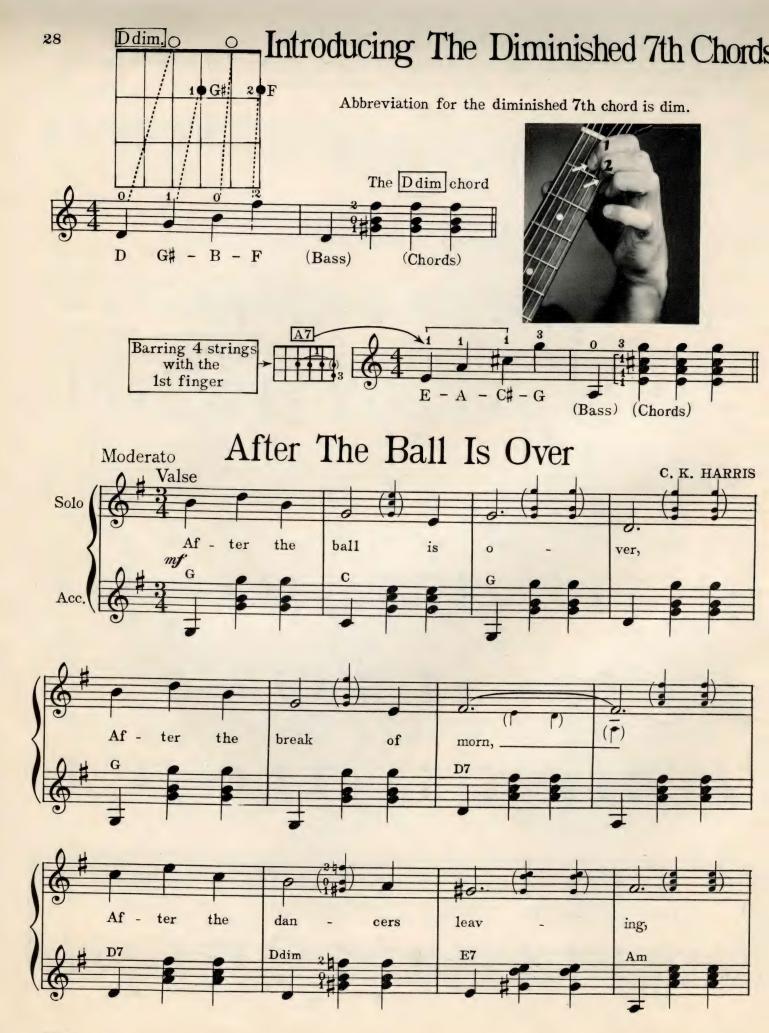
26 Explanation Of The Dotted Eighth (1).) And Sixteenth Notes (1)

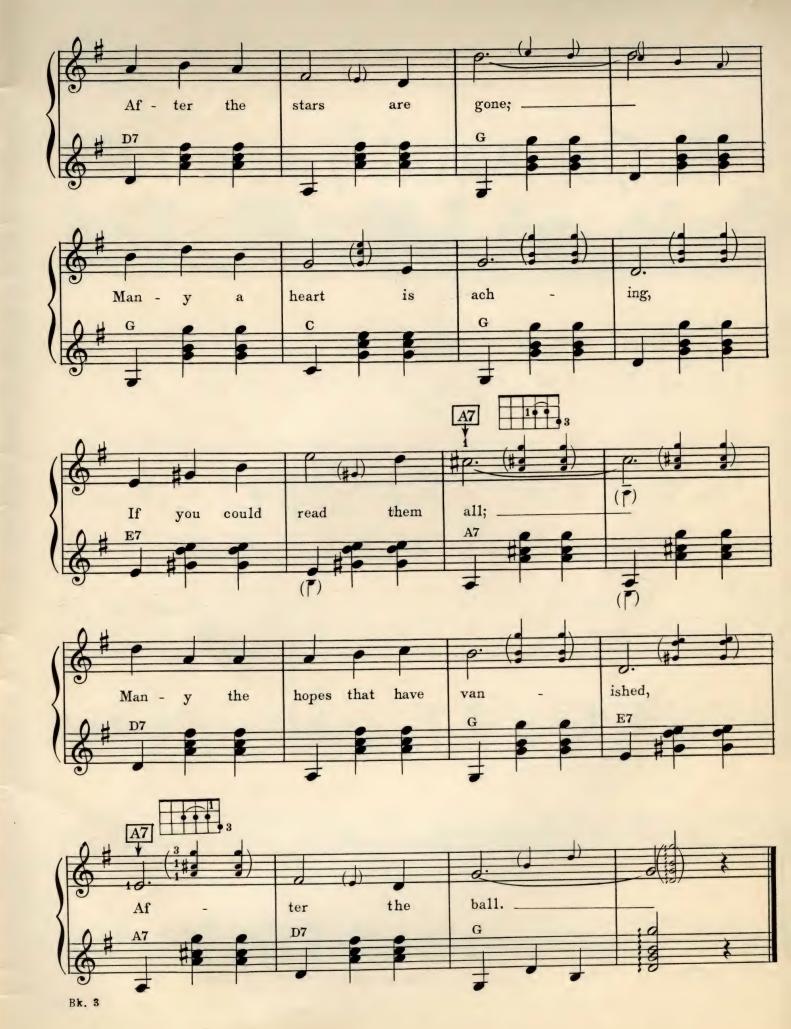
Note values in 4 time. A Quarter Note = one count { two Eighth Notes = } = | (Remember that the dot placed after a note increased the (Remember that the dot placed after a note increases the value of the note by one half) Dotted Eighth And Sixteenth Notes (as compared to Eighth Notes) Count and play the following study Oh, My Darling Clementine Moderato TRADITIONAL cav-ern in a can-yon, ex-ca-was and like a fai - ry, and her vat - ing for a mine, Dwelt a shoes we're num-ber nine, Her-ring min - er, for - ty nin - er, and daugh-ter Cle - men tine, box - es, with - out top - ses, san - dals Oh, my were for Cle - men -Chorus dar - ling, oh my dar - ling, oh my dar - ling, Cle-men tine; You are lost gone for er dread - ful ry Cle-men sor tine.

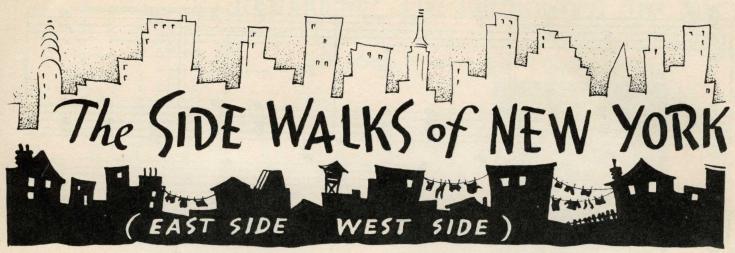
Harmony Study

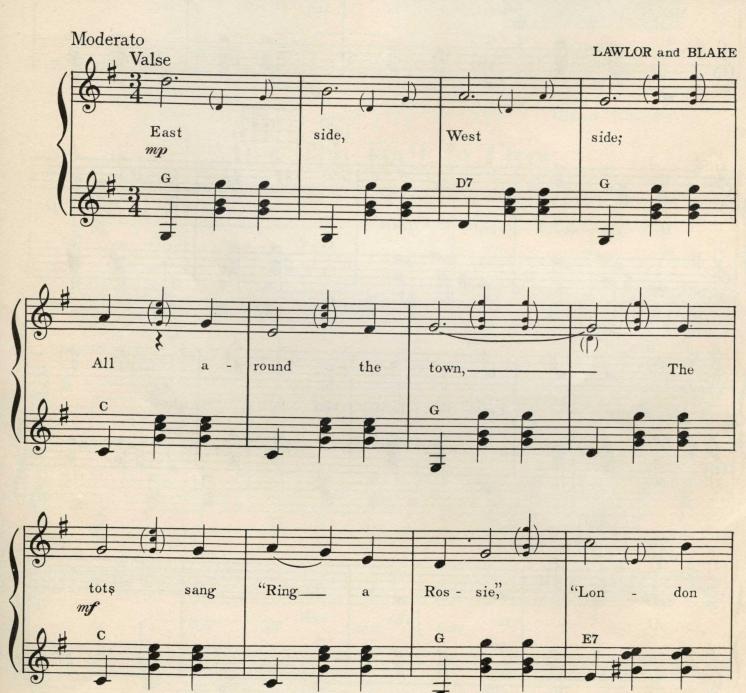
Harmony=The art of combining two or more united sounds into chords. A melody is harmonized when additional notes are added in order to give it more fulness.







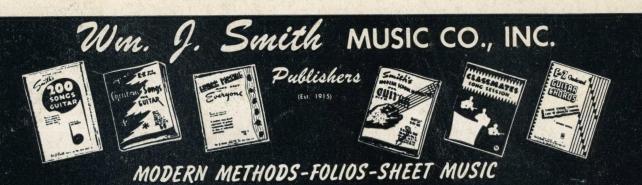






DICTIONARY OF MUSICAL TERMS

Accelerando	.Gradually quicken the time.	Largo	Slowest time.
Adagio	.Slow.		Close, smooth, connected.
	.Left to the taste of the performer.	Leggiero	
Affettuoso			Same as Adagio Slowly.
Agilita	. Lightness, agility.	Loco	Place the notes to be perfermed.
Agitato	. Agitated, burried.		as written.
Allegretto		Maestoso	
Allegro		Marcato	
Amoroso	.In a tender style.		. A succession of simple sounds.
Andantino	.Flowing, moderately slow.	Meno Mosso	
Andante	.Flowing easily onward.	Mezzo	
Animato	. With air.	Moderato	
Appassionato	. With intense motion.	Molto	
	.The notes of a chord performed. in succession.	Morendo	Gradually diminish the tone and time.
A tempo	. Return to the original time.	Non troppo	
Barcarolle	.A boat song.	Obbligato	.Indispensable, necessary.
Bis	.Twice Written over a passage to	Octava, or 8va	.Written above a note or passage,
	be repeated.		play an octave higher, written be-
Brillante	Bright, sparkling.		low, an octave lower.
Cantabile	.In singing style.	Piano or p	.Soft.
Coda	.The concluding movement.	Pianissimo, or pp	.Very soft.
Con brio	.With live, brilliancy.	Piu mosso	.Quicker, more animated.
Con moto	.With motion rather quick.	Poco a poco	
Con spirito	. With spirit.	Presto	.Very quick.
Crescendo, or cresc. or	. — Increasing in loudness.	Prestissimo	
Da Capo or D. C	Repeat the first part.	Rallentando, or rall	.Gradually slacken the time.
Da Capo al Fine	Repeat the first part to Fine.	Rinforzando	. Strengthened, reenforced.
Dal Segno, or D. S.	Repeat from sign.		.In a resolute manner.
Deciso	. With decision.		.Gradually slacken the time.
Decrescendo	.Gradually diminishing.	Scherzando	.Playfully.
Diminuendo, or dim.		Scherzo	. A light composition.
or	Gradually softer.	Segno. (%)	
Dolce		Sempre	. Alway's.
Doloroso			.To sustain the sounds.
Facile		Sotto voce	
Fine		Staccato, or (.)	. Detached, short.
Forte, or f			.Pressing, accelerating.
Fortissimo, or #		Suivez	.Follow pursue.
Forzando or fz	Suddenly louder, immediately.	Syncopation	.Change of accent from a strong
	diminishing.		beat to a weak one.
Fuoco	. With fire, energy.	Tempo	.Time.
Grave		Tutti	.All; all the instruments.
Grazioso		Veloce	.Ouick, rapid, swift.
Largamenta		Vivace	Moderately quick.
Larghetto	Slowest time.	vivace	. I Zouville of Miles



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